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**BY FIRST CLASS MAIL**

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Supervisory Attorney  
Federal Elections Commission  
Office of General Counsel  
999 E Street, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20463

Re: **MUR 5408/Mr. & Ms. La Van Hawkins**

Dear Mr. Jordan:

I am writing to you on behalf of Mr. & Mrs. La Van Hawkins who have requested that I represent them in the above-listed complaint. Attached is their Statement of Designation of Counsel. I am also writing to request an extension of time, not less than 30 days, to prepare and submit an answer by my clients. As the complaints seem to be based upon various newspaper articles, I need the additional time to locate and review such articles with my clients.

This request is being made within the 15 day period from receipt of the complaint by my clients.

Thank you for your attention and courtesies in this matter.

Very truly yours,

  
Michael A. Hardy, Esq.

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cc: Mr. & Mrs. La Van Hawkins  
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## STATEMENT OF DESIGNATION OF COUNSEL

Please use one form for each respondent.

MUR 5408

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The above-named individual is hereby designated as my counsel and is authorized to receive any notifications and other communications from the Commission and to act on my behalf before the Commission.

LA VAN HAWKINS

Print Name

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